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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 6, 2005, entry and consideration of this Amendment are respectfully requested. Please amend the above-captioned patent application as described below:

No Amendments to the Specification have been made in this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

No Amendments to the Drawings have been made in this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this Amendment.